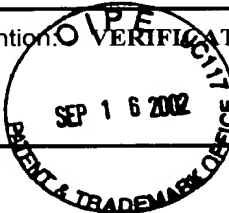

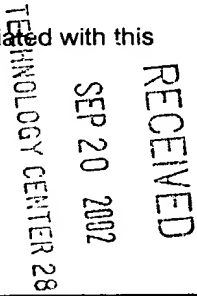



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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>			Docket No. <b>40091-10018</b>		
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Serial No. <b>09/781,755</b>	Filing Date <b>February 12, 2001</b>	Examiner <b>Daniel St. Cyr</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2876</b>		
Invention: <b>COPIER VERIFICATION SYSTEM FOR THE PURCHASE OF A RETAIL ITEM AND METHOD OF USING SAME</b>					
 <b>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted. <input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.					
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TOTAL CLAIMS	15 -	20 =	0 x	\$9.00	\$0.00
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<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$0.00</b>
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